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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 05725.0632-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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 **Gérard LANG et al.** )  
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 Application No.: 09/600,128 )  
 ) Group Art Unit: 1751  
 Filed: September 13, 2000 )  
 ) Examiner: E. Elhilo  
 For: KERATINOUS FIBRE OXIDATION )  
 DYEING COMPOSITION CONTAINING )  
 A LACCASE AND DYEING METHOD )  
 USING SAME )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a five month extension of time to take action  
following a Notice of Appeal filed February 12, 2004. A fee of \$2,010.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: September 13, 2004

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